Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Sunday 12 Jun 2022 until 23:59 on Monday 13 Jun 2022

Forecast Issued on Saturday 11 Jun 2022 at 11:15 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for cold, windy conditions in the hills on Sunday and Monday with passing showers. Lower confidence for thicker cloud bringing patchy rain on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Headline for Sunday 12 Jun 2022: Bright spells. Passing showers. Still quite windy. Cold over higher ridges/summits.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 12 Jun 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales High Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain showers (night)	Light rain showers (night)	Light rain showers	Sunny intervals	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Precipitation probability							
50%	40%	30%	20%	30%	30%	20%	10%

Forecast for Sunday 12 Jun 2022

Weather: A drier, brighter day with some sunshine. Still some showers, especially towards Ben Alder and Creag Meagaidh but fewer and lighter compared with Saturday and passing by quickly with a lot of dry weather in between.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80%.

Low cloud and visibility: Generally very good visibility with patchy cloud cover about 800 to 900m. Patches of poor visibility as showers pass by with clouds lowering briefly.

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Forecast for Sunday 12 Jun 2022

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	37/50 W	37/51 W	33/45 W	30/41 W	28/40 W	29/41 W	29/42 W	26/36 W	26/36 W
900	33/43 W	32/41 W	30/39 W	26/35 W	25/35 W	24/35 W	25/35 W	22/30 W	22/30 W
600	23/32 SW	20/30 SW	22/31 W	21/31 W	20/31 W	19/29 W	19/29 W	15/24 W	14/23 W
300	13/29 SW	11/25 SW	12/26 SW	14/29 W	13/27 W	12/25 W	13/26 W	9/20 W	9/19 W
Glen	5/24 SW	4/22 SW	5/23 W	8/26 W	8/25 W	8/26 W	7/24 W	4/18 W	4/17 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	2/-6	1/-7	0/-7	1/-6	2/-4	2/-5	2/-6	0/-7	0/-7
900	5/-2	4/-3	4/-3	4/-1	6/0	6/0	5/-1	4/-2	3/-2
600	7/2	6/2	6/1	7/3	9/5	8/5	8/4	6/2	6/2
300	9/6	8/6	9/6	11/8	12/9	11/9	10/8	8/6	8/5
Glen	9/7	8/7	9/7	12/10	12/10	13/10	12/9	9/8	7/6
Freezing Level*	1700m	1500m	1400m	1400m	1500m	1400m	1400m	1400m	1300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Note combination of strong winds and temperatures of 2 to 5 Celsius will make it feel unseasonably cold at higher elevations.

Forecast for Monday 13 Jun 2022
Weather: Mainly dry with some bright or sunny spells. Thicker cloud in the afternoon may give a little rain, especially over Monadhliath mountains.

Maximum wind: Westerly winds with average speeds of 20 to 30mph and gusts 40 on the tops.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80%.

Low cloud and visibility: Mostly very good visibility with occasional cloud cover about 800 to 900m.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 8 Celsius rising to 16 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 6 Celsius rising to 9 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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